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Carnival and Street Dance Tomorrow Night

Plans have been completed for the big carnival and street dance to be given by the Native Sons and Daughters of the Golden West tomorrow (Saturday) evening. Santa Cruz avenue, between the highway and the postoffice, will be the scene of activity and a fine time is in store for all who attend.

The affair has been well advertised, large posters being placed along the highway from Santa Clara to San Mateo, as well as in the store windows in the various town along the road.

Many new and novel features have been arranged for this year and many booths will be erected on Santa Cruz avenue where the merry makers may spend their money, and it is hoped that the Golden West spirit will prevail. In exchange for the money spent one may get the latest model hot dog or possibly a "pig in a blanket", have his fortune told, get some article for the home and above all of the attractions will be the big grab bag for the kiddies, both large and small.

First class music for the street adnce has been provided and those who wish to dance will be able to enjoy this sort of recreation to the limit.

The committee in charge of the affair have been working on the details for a long time and nothing has been overlooked that will in any way help to make the affair a success and the only thing now necessary is for the crowds of people who will be here to assemble and spend the evening in merry making.

Anything that the Native Sons and Daughters undertake is always well done and this will be no exception to the rule, so come out and have the time of your life.

MOTORISTS WARNED ABOUT STEALING FRUIT

Careless and irresponsible motorists who engage in the practice of helping themselves to fruit and vegetables from any handy orchard or garden that happens to border on the highway face the possibility of explaining their actions to the judge in the criminal court unless they stop the practice at once, according to a warning issued this week by the California Automobile Association.

Stealing fruit along the highways has reached the point in a number of communities where local peace authorities have announced the inauguration of a campaign to bring marauding motorists to justice, the Association reported. Throughout the horticultural sections of the state the fruit growers are complaining about motorists stealing fruit from the orchards bordering the highways and authorities are contemplating severe action to teach a lesson to the type of motorist who fails to respect the property rights of others.

Reports received by the Automobile Association from growers show that certain motorists not only steal fruit from trees branching over the fence lines along the highways, but that many are brazen enough to climb over the fences into the orchards. This type of petty theft has no consideration for the trees, and a great deal of damage is done to the branches which naturally means a heavy loss to the grower.

While the great majority of the motorists on the highways are law-abiding citizens, the Association declared that there seemed to be a small minority who through carelessness and thoughtless acts bring dishonor to responsible, respectable and careful fellow travelers.

PETER VALLA ANSWERS FINAL SUMMONS HERE

Peter Valla, retired rancher, died at his home here early this week at the age of 65 years. He was a native of France, and has lived in this community a number of years. Since his retirement about four years ago, he had lived in Menlo Park, but previous to that time he had owned a ranch in the Mayfield district.

He is survived by his widow, Honore Valla, and two daughters, Rose and Lily Valla.

Assembly Candidate Backed by Sportsmen

Tours through widely separated parts of San Mateo county have featured the past week of campaigning by Elsa S. McGinn of San Mateo, introduced by political leaders as "the county's leading candidate for representative in the State Legislature."

More than 50 voters gathered at the meeting called this week at the Barsotti ranch by the McGinn For Assembly Club of Purissima, where the woman candidate spoke on legislation for better roads in San Mateo county and the need for protection of fish and game.

Improved methods for planting of young trout in San Mateo county streams have been studied by Mrs. McGinn in conjunction with San Mateo county sportsmen, who are taking an active part in her campaign.

Mrs. McGinn's pledged to a program of strict law enforcement in the protection of fish and game as well as to the plan of county sportsmen for the stocking of streams with game fish. She has pledged herself to work for better roads in all parts of the county, especially those leading into the scenic regions, which are among the county's greatest assets in attracting thousands of visitors each year.

"The position of the county geographically is such that we should provide good roads for the visitors who bring us thousands of dollars annually and help to build up our towns and cities with an increasing number of home seekers," said Mrs. McGinn.

"We should provide not only good roads for the convenience and comfort of all, but we should see to the stocking of the streams with trout and we should faster every measure that looks toward development of the regions which are the county's greatest assets in attracting more and more visitors."

Mrs. McGinn was also among the speakers at the meeting this week of the South San Francisco Exchange Club at the new California Golf Club near South San Francisco.

RADIO EXPOSITION TO BE HELD IN S. F. AUG. 21-28

The first radio convention ever held in the west is scheduled to take place in conjunction with the third annual Pacific Radio Exposition to be held in San Francisco, August 21 to 28.

The convention is to be held under the auspices of the Pacific Radio Trade Association which is also sponsoring the exposition. It will attract to the meeting and the display some of the biggest figures in the radio industry, it is said. One of the principal speakers will be A. T. Haugh, president of the Radio Manufacturers' Association and vice-president of the King Quality Products Company of Buffalo, New York.

A constructive program for the advancement of radio is to mark this initial convention. All of the problems of the radio from the standpoint of the manufacturer, jobber, dealer, the broadcast station and the owner will be discussed. The theme of the meeting will be the improvement of radio in all its aspects.

The exposition is to be used by the convention as a visual demonstration of the radio industry of today. According to the Pacific Radio Trade Association more than 400 exhibits have now been contracted for with approximately 90 per cent of the space sold. The exhibits will include the latest models of practically all of the outstanding manufacturers of radio receivers and accessories.

Dealers, jobbers, manufacturers and manufacturers' representatives from all sections of the west have sent in their reservations for the big convention-exposition meet, the first showing of radio for the new season anywhere in the United States. This together with the popular interest already evidenced by the public gives assurance of the most successful display of its kind ever held in this section, it is said.

With the opening of the new Yo-

John T. Aabel Gives Incorporation Data

Editor Menlo Park Recorder:

In your issue of July 30, 1926, there appeared an article on the matter of incorporation by one who signs himself "A Reader." The writer suggests a "campaign of education" be begun immediately. Being in hearty accord with his sentiments in this regard I beg to contribute the following facts:

In connection with safeguarding the children as they come and go from school, it should be borne in mind that the Board of School Trustees are responsible for their safety, and in case of necessity, employ a traffic officers for sad purpose. As regards sewers, it should be remembered that we have a Sanitary Board which has supervision over the sewer system within the district of which Menlo Park is a part and toward the expense of which a tax of 25 cents on each \$100 valuation was collected last year. It is suggested that those directly interested attend the meetings of the Sanitary Board. Menlo Park in addition to being a portion of a school district and a sanitary district of specified boundaries, is likewise a portion of a fire district, a lighting district, a mosquito abatement district, etc. for the upkeep of which the following taxes were levied during the last fiscal year:

Schools (County tax)	50
Schools (Special)	24
Sanitary	25
Fire	20
Light	25
Mosquito	079

Relative to the matter of uniform building lines, it should be noted that as regards buildings already standing, their removal could be effected only at the expense of the general public. We now have a branch library which by the way will be housed in more commodious quarters. A Community House, City Hall, Public Park, Play Ground, Swimming Pool, Jail and other buildings and objects can all be provided and maintained in case the tax-payers so elect, who should bear in mind that the smaller the area, the heavier the tax burden.

It may be of interest to know that the following was collected last year for the purposes indicated:

Tax Levy of San Mateo County Fiscal Year 1925-1926

General	34
School	50
County Farm	053
Community Hospital Maint	167
Social Service	12
Road, Regular	40
Road, Special	10
Court House Bond, 1906	012
Court House Furnishing Bond 1906	003
County Highway Bond, 1913	232
County Highway Maintenance	06
Community Hospital Construct'n	30
Co. High School Maintenance	30
Highway Const., Redwood City	06
Highway Const., San Mateo	03
Half Moon Bay to Skyline road	021
La Honda San Gregorio road	025
San Bruno, Road, Daly City to South San Francisco	055
Half Moon Bay Road, foot of Mountain to Coast Road	15
Advertising	004
County Library	04

Total County rate outside incorporated cities	296
Total County rate inside incorporated cities	246
being 50 cents less than rate outside incorporated cities which have to maintain their own streets.	

Additional Tax Data

Menlo Park (outside) County	296
Special School	24
Sequoia High Mntnc	75
Sequoia High Spl	15
Sequoia High 1906 Bond	008
Sequoia High Bond 1922	173
Mosquito	079
Menlo Park Light	25
Menlo Park Fire	20
Total	481
Sanitary	25

Grand Total 506
Towns of the Sixth Class are limited to a \$1.00 tax rate unless the same be increased by bond issue or

Sheriff McGovern Is Seriously Injured

Sheriff T. C. McGovern of San Mateo county was seriously injured in an automobile collision at midnight last Wednesday at San Bruno and is at the Mills Memorial Hospital, a San Mateo, where his physicians report that he will recover.

McGovern had five ribs broken, one broken, many laceration on the head and a bad cut on the forehead. It is also thought that possibly one of his lungs has been punctured and one of his hips injured.

McGovern was returning to Redwood City from a card party in South San Francisco, at midnight and as his car approached the intersection of the Bay Shore road and El Camino Real, in front of Uncle Tom's Cabin, he heard the roar of a powerful car traveling north, at a terrific speed.

Evidently realizing that a collision was inevitable the sheriff drove across the highway and practically onto the grounds of Uncle Tom's Cabin.

It is thought that C. H. Yazzyan, who was driving the oncoming car lost his head and applied the breaks suddenly causing his car to skid into McGovern's car. The impact was so terrific that both cars were hurled 30 feet and reduced to a mass of twisted iron.

Sheriff McGovern was thrown 20 feet and although he went through the windshield he still retained a piece of the steering wheel in his hand when picked up.

Yazzyan was dead—apparently instantly killed when picked up and his body was taken to the undertaking establishment of George W. Snider & Company at San Mateo where an inquest was held yesterday.

Dr. J. C. McGovern, brother of the sheriff, Dr. F. H. Smith of San Bruno and Dr. H. L. Maudsley of San Mateo, who examined Sheriff McGovern reported that he would recover unless complications set in.

Five persons were injured in the collision besides Yazzyan who was killed.

MAKE BIG INCREASES IN TELEPHONE PLANT

In order to improve and extend service, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and its associated companies are spending \$275,000,000 during 1926 for net additions to plant. There has been a rapid expansion of telephone plant since the war, due in part, to the fact that during the war years of 1914 to 1919, because of the volume of construction in war-time industries, there was a marked slump in additions to the telephone facilities.

During the past five years it has been necessary to make exceptional efforts to catch up on the deferred construction incident to the war, but rapid progress has been made. Besides, there has been an exceptional growth in the use of the telephone, a net total of 813,574 Bell-owned and Bell-connecting stations having been added in 1924.

The net additions to plant for 1926 include \$35,000,000 for land and buildings, \$3,000,000 for switchboards and central office equipment, \$115,000,000 for outside plant in the form of poles, wires, cables and conduits and \$36,000,000 for subscribers' station equipment.

J. H. STUBBE NAMED HEAD OF NSW POULTRY BODY

J. H. Stubbe, well known poultry man of the Ravenswood-Runnymede district, was elected temporary chairman in San Jose last Saturday, of the organization being formed among the poultry producers of Santa Clara Valley. A committee of breeders and hatcherymen will be appointed to present a set of rules and regulations and to propose a name for the new organization at the meeting to be held in San Jose on August 27th.

Rev. J. B. Donaldson, Jr., and family left Monday for a trip to Lake Tahoe and Yosemite Valley. They will be away until August 13th.

special assessment determined by vote.

Respectfully submitted
JOHN T. AABEL.

Louis E. Rinkel Has Many Supporters

Supporters of Louis E. Rinkel, candidate for the State Assembly in this, the forty-second district, San Mateo County, are confident that he will be elected. They contend that Rinkel is the best man for the job, and that the voters are rapidly becoming aware of that fact.

The amount of prosperity that San Mateo County will derive through its astounding growth depends largely on the capabilities and qualifications of those in public office, according to Louis E. Rinkel.

Having resided in the county for fourteen years, during which time he has studied its needs and necessities, Rinkel is fully qualified to protect the interests of the people under all circumstances. Unlike professional politicians he is making no promises of the great things he will accomplish if elected.

Rinkel is a man of action, not of promises. He stands for sane, constructive legislation, and is being supported by those who want an efficient man.

GOOD PROSPECTS FOR DEER HUNTING SEASON

With the opening last Sunday of the deep hunting season in the central coast counties, hundreds of California sportsmen were again in the field endeavoring to bag their limit of two bucks. Reports received from the hunting territory in which the deer are just as plentiful, and probably more so, than in any past season, according to a bulletin issued for sportsmen this week by the California State Automobile Association.

Advices received by the Association from the California Fish and Game Commission indicate that this season in the coast district and that they are more plentiful than ever in the upper coast district. Reports from hunters who were in the field on the opening day bear out this statement. Many hunters secured their limit during the first few days.

The fish and game commission also report that this has been an unusually good breeding season. Nearly every doe seen this spring has been running with two fawns which means even better hunting two years hence when the male fawns have grown into forked horn bucks.

The territory in which the season is now open includes all those mountain and coast counties on the west side of the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys from Medocino and Glenn counties on the north to Santa Barbara and Ventura counties on the south. Sportsmen are warned, however, not to hunt inside the boundaries of the several game refuges in this district.

In connection with the opening of the deer season the Automobile Association has called the attention of sportsmen to several cardinal points of the game laws and the sportsmen's code which includes the following:

Don't shoot until you see the horns, and be sure that a fellow hunter isn't in range of your line of fire. Shoot no does, fawns or spike bucks. A legal buck must have branched horns.

The limit is two bucks per season.

It is unlawful to transport deer meat, head, hide or horns from an open district into a closed district.

The skin and that portion of the head containing the horns must be retained in your possession during the open season and until ten days thereafter.

Take a shovel with you and cover your camp fire with dirt when you leave it. Build only a small camp fire with dirt when you leave it. Build only a small camp fire in a safe place and never leave it unattended.

WARD TUCKER GIVEN A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Louise Tucker entertained at a surprise birthday party in honor of her husband, Ward Tucker at their home in North Fair Oaks Saturday evening last.

Cards were enjoyed during the evening after which dainty refreshments were served in the dining room.

Symphony Concert Set For Sunday

Next Sunday's symphony program, conducted by Ossip Gabrilowitsch, will contain compositions of special interest to the music public. It will be this famous conductor's third appearance with the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra in the Hillsborough summer series.

Schumann's fourth symphony, in D Minor, an infrequently heard work, is one of the principal program features. In the opinion of musicians, the hearing of this lovely score will prove another interpretative triumph for Gabrilowitsch as director.

Robert Schumann, best known as a composer of songs and piano literature, in his later years attained success in orchestral writing. The fourth symphony is in four movements played without pause, containing much lovely thematic material, as would be expected, for Schumann is one of the greatest makers of melody that have ever lived. Structurally, this symphony is skillfully and imaginatively drawn, and compares in greatness with all other symphonic scores of illustrious composers.

The Overture to Weber's "Der Freischutz" is distinctive in that it gives a vivid sense of the spirit and events of the opera without loss of the musical unity.

"Die Meistersinger" Prelude, one of Wagner's most effective compositions, is always a concert favorite with audiences. Grieg's "Peer Gynt" Suite, No. 1, said to be the most popular number ever written by this Norwegian composer, will be played in charming contrast to the Oriental Dances from "Pine Igor." This work is from Borodin's unfinished opera of that name. The Dances are barbaric and colorful in content, expressing rhythmic beauty and oriental atmosphere. After the death of Borodin, his friends Rimsky-Korsakow and Glazunov completed the opera.

BIG GAME TICKETS TO BE OUT BY AUGUST 30th

By Don Liebendorfer
Applications for football tickets for the Stanford-Washington game at Stanford on November 13, the Stanford-U. S. C. game at Los Angeles, October 30, and the Stanford-California game at Berkeley, November 20, will be mailed from Stanford beginning August 21, according to an announcement by the Graduate Manager's office today. All seats for these games will be reserved.

The application blanks will be mailed out by zones so that all applicants will have equal chances. The last applications will leave the Graduate Manager's office on August 30th.

"U. S. C. is the team to beat." This is the general opinion among football players, coaches, and fans in looking forward to the 1926 gridiron season in late September.

Stanford, Washington, and California are generally rated just behind the Trojans and strangely enough, these three teams find themselves facing practically identical problems. Warner, Bagshaw, and Price must rebuild their backfields before the hard games of the season.

The Cardinals lost their All-American full-back, Nevors, and their capable quarterback, Mitchell. Warner had most of his offense built around the great Enrie and will be hard-pressed to replace him. Stanford's high class quartet of halfbacks—Bogue, Murphy, Hill and Hyland—will all be eligible again. The Huskies lost almost their entire offensive punch with the graduation of George Wilson, and Elmer Tesreau. The Bears must start the 1926 scramble for the Pacific Coast Conference title without the services of their star halfback combination—Imlay and Dixon, and their regular quarterback, Carlson. The question arises, "Just how successful will Warner, Bagshaw, and Price be in replacing these stars?" Upon the answer to that question will depend, to a large extent, the success of Stanford, Washington and California.

Mrs. Elmer Jennings entertained at a luncheon here yesterday.

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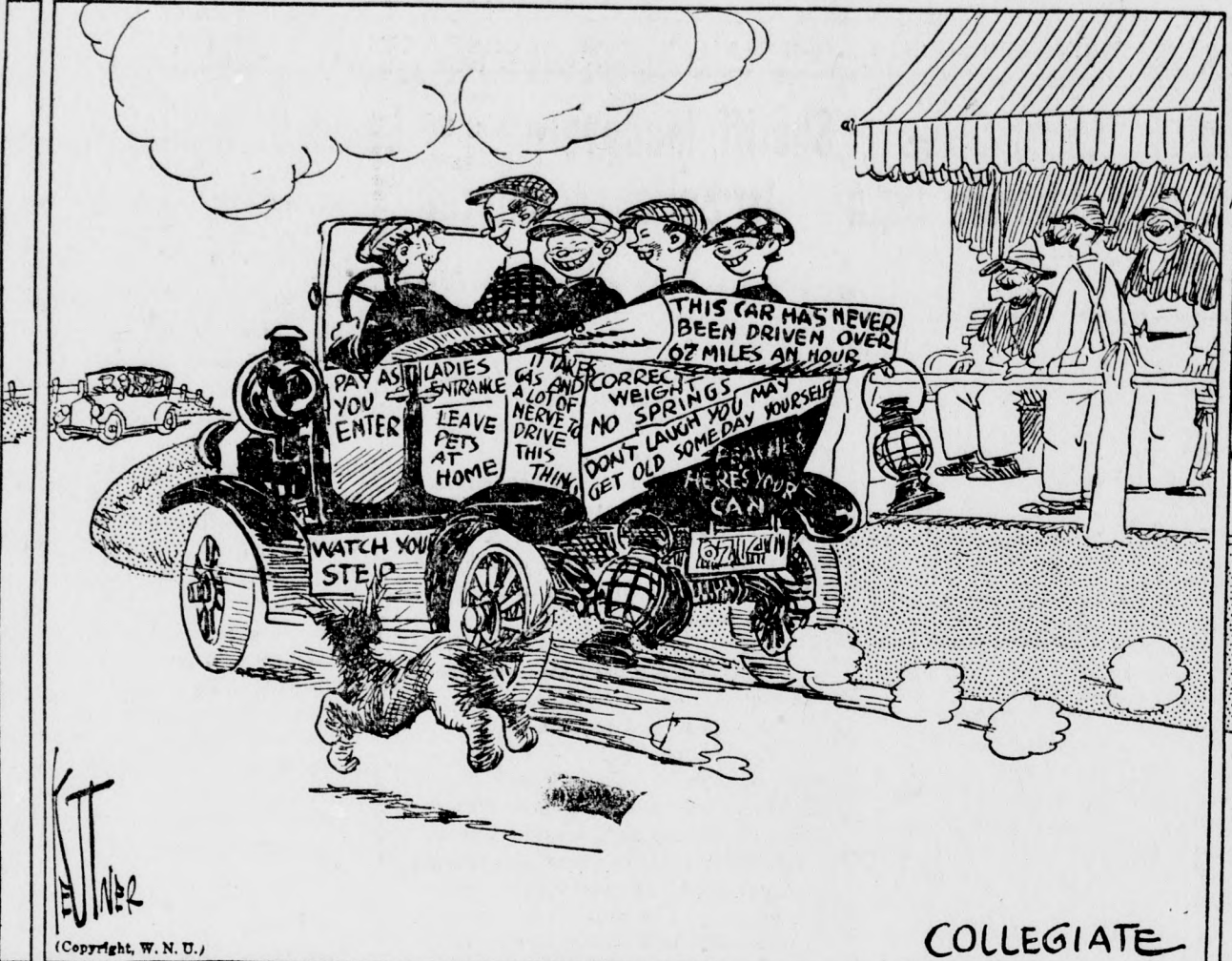
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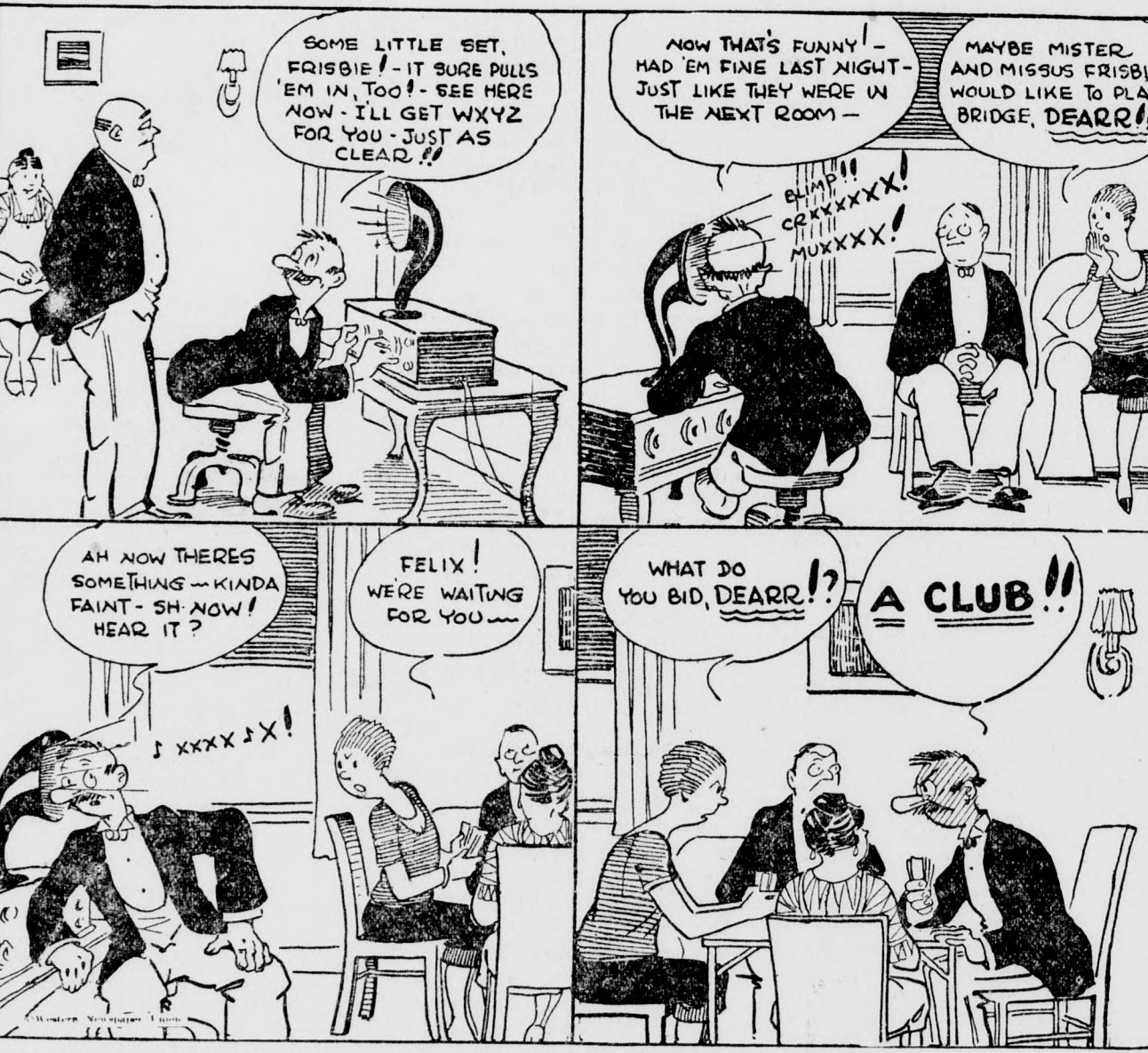
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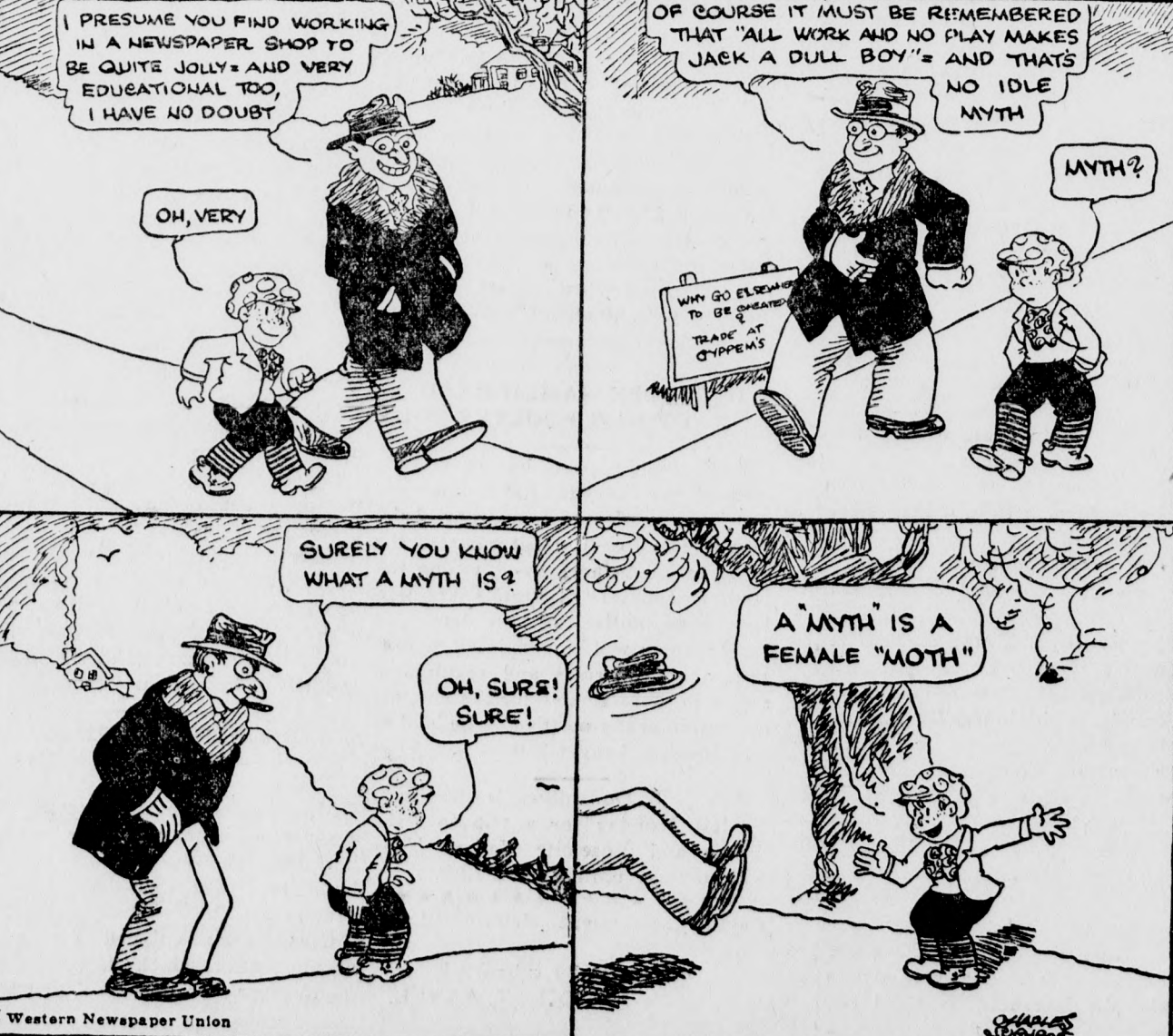
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AROUND THE HOME

By MARGARET BRUCE

The Toothbrush Cupboard

What kind of care do you take of the family toothbrushes. Do they hang on hooks or on a rack directly over the bathroom basin, where they are exposed to dust, flying soap-flecks, odors, and dampness generally? Of course, that will never do, Madam Housewife!

The dentists tell us that almost as many of our tooth troubles come from germ-laden toothbrushes as from food decay. A toothbrush that is never thoroughly dried, never subjected to a good disinfectant, never sunned and aired and made sweet and wholesome, is not the implement to put into our own and our children's mouths. A damp toothbrush to which a coating of toothpaste still clings, attracts all sorts of invisible forms of decomposition, and the brush which isn't thoroughly rinsed and dried is as unhealthful as a half-rinsed, half-damp garment or half-clean, half-dry bedding.

The best way to treat a toothbrush is to dip it, after using, into some good antiseptic solution. A glass containing one teaspoon of a powerful disinfectant mixed with ten teaspoons of water is an efficient germ-killer. Some dentists recommend denatured alcohol or medicated alcohol.

After dipping the brushes in this solution, put them in a wide-mouthed bottle, brush end out, and stand them in the sunshine until absolutely dry. It is said that the direct rays of the sun kill germs, whereas the rays which come through glass will not. If the sun is not shining, dry the brushes over the radiator. When the brushes are ready for use again, hang them in a special little cupboard, kept scrupulously clean, where they will be free from the dust and floating soap-particles in the bathroom. Individual holders for the brushes are good provided the brushes are perfectly dry; but the circulation of some air is good for them. The main thing is to see that all food particles, bits of toothpaste or powder, and other germ-producing matter is entirely removed after every using, and that the brush is first disinfected and then dried.

Beautifying the Practical

Every so often I feel it my special mission in life to protest against the general ugliness of our common household appliances. Why on earth we should have a charming hearth-brush in the living room and a hideous yellow-handled red-labeled broom in the kitchen, I don't see. Why should the tea-cart in the dining room be lovely to look at and the ironing-board in the laundry be "as plain as an old maid's face," as the old saying was many years ago.

Recently I have been trying to educate some of the manufacturers of household tools, implements and furniture by writing to them and suggesting amusing decorative handles, gay coats of paint or enamel, and perhaps a bit of really good designing in the shape of the article itself. If they only knew it, women would buy their wares just twice as fast if they were beguiled by a delft blue dust-pan, an ironing-board with the legs painted sage green and buff, or a carpet sweeper of orange and black. A set of kitchen forks and dish mops with blue handles to match the blue-tiled linoleum would be irresistible to most housewives.

Well, they'll do it some day, and then we shall have beautiful refrigerators as well as beautiful highboys, attractive gas stoves as well as lov-

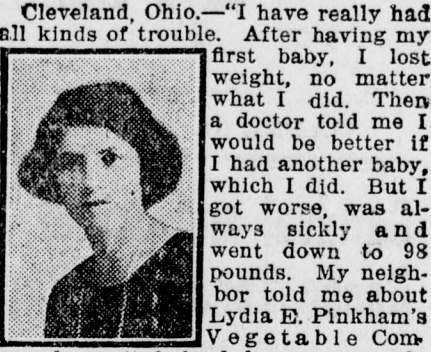
able open fireplaces. Meanwhile, we must do the best we can by beautifying our practical household conveniences ourselves. Get a few cans of bright enamels, carrying out the color plan of your kitchen and dining-room, possibly, and make your prosaic tools lovely to look at and fun to work with. Brighten up the ironing board standard, paint up the step-ladder, doll up the broom and brush handles, decorate the carpet sweeper. Paint the plain kitchen table, decorate the plain kitchen chairs. Use blue and white and yellow bowls to mix things in.

There is no place in the modern kitchen, gay with crisp curtains, pots of flowers on the sill, and rows of pretty plates on the wall, for the unadorned and ugly tools of common household service. If the makers will not beautify them, we must do it ourselves.

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The Conservative

This day comes E. Dallas to see me from Atlanta, and tells me how they do not have daylight saving time in Albany, Ga., where he dwells, and there is a clock there that strikes the hour, and a negro woman at his home who says, "Eleven o'clock all over the world." "Nay," quoth her mistress, "It is twelve o'clock in New York and nine o'clock in Denver and eight o'clock in San Francisco." "Well," said the ancient negro woman, "thank the Lord I live in a town where eleven o'clock is eleven o'clock."—F. P. A., in New York World.

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SYMBOL OF OUR SAFETY

All the great service clubs and patriotic organizations of the United States salute the Flag as an expression of their love and loyalty for the ideals and principles the Flag symbolizes.

The student body of our schools salute the Flag, not only as representing the Supreme Law, but repeat the oath of allegiance to the Government. These are inspiring and sacred ceremonies.

The efforts being made by radical instigators of sedition to create in the minds of the youth of America a contempt for the Flag should arouse public consciousness to the enormity and danger of these types of perversion.

None are entitled to sympathy who express such a sentiment as in a letter before us: "For my part, I have repudiated patriotism entirely. My country is the world. My flag is the star-spangled sky. I agree with Barbussi's sentiment in regard to the flag of his country: 'No, I do not bow in presence of the flag. I hate it and accurse it. No, there is no beauty in it. It is not the emblem of this corner of my native land whose fair beauty is disturbed with its savage stripes. It is the screaming signboard of the glory of blows, of militarism and war. It unfolds over the living surges of humanity a sign of supremacy and command.' I have more than once refused to salute the flag."

That any enjoying the privileges and protection of the Government should utter such words shows the extreme degree agitators go to destroy the symbol, worthy of reverence from every American citizen.—Better American Federation.

WATER AND POWER ACT BOBS UP AGAIN AS DANGEROUS AS EVER

The following editorial from the San Francisco Chronicle of a recent date is reprinted as it handles the matter of the so-called Water and Power Bill which will be voted at the November election in such an able way.

"On the ballot at the coming November election there will be a proposal for reviving the State Water and Power Commission scheme already beaten twice by the voters.

"As often as this measure is beaten it bobs up again. There is no chance that it will get past the voters in any election where they give it their attention. But there always is the chance that at some election, either through carelessness or distraction by some other issues, the voters will let the scheme slip past, and so put the State in danger of bankruptcy.

"The proposed act this year is practically the same as in the two previous elections when the voters turned down the scheme. It provides for the appointment by the Governor of a board of five members. These members would be vested with power to buy by private sale or condemnation any water power project, start new ones, shut out municipal or district enterprises.

"To pay the salaries and expenses of the commission and to provide funds for investment in water and power projects, the commission would be given power to issue \$500,000,000 in bonds. And if the commission ran short of expense money or its investments did not pay, it could issue some more bonds, the amount not being specified. This means that the sky would be the limit as long as investors could be found to buy the bonds.

"The bonds would be a mortgage on everything in California. We are assured that the projects of the commission would be self-supporting—that they would pay the interest and pay of the bonds in time, meantime handing over handsome profits to the State.

"But the proposed act contains the following clause:

"If at any time the moneys in the State treasury applicable to the payment of interest or principal of said bonds shall be insufficient to pay the same as it falls due, moneys shall be temporarily advanced from the general fund for that purpose, and there is hereby appropriated

from the general fund in the State treasury such sum annually as will be necessary to pay such interest and principal, and there shall be collected each year in the same manner and at the same time as other State revenue is collected such sum in addition to the other revenues of the State as shall be required to pay the sums appropriated for payment of principal and interest as herein provided, and it is hereby made the duty of all officers charged by law with any duty in regard to the levy and collection of said revenue to do and perform each and every act which shall be necessary to collect such additional sum."

"This clause means that the Sheriff could grab house and home, automobile, horse, cat, pig and cow—everything except the baby—to make good on the \$500,000,000 or more bonds that the proposed commission would issue to pay its expenses and make its investments.

"There would be no check on the commission. It could issue its bonds without going back to the public. It could embark on any scheme it took a fancy to, so long as that could be called a water or power enterprise.

"Who are the five men whom we are willing to trust with absolute power to put a \$500,000,000 mortgage on the State of California and everything in it?

"There are many bad features in the proposed act. Up to date we have not been able to find a good one. From time to time other details will claim public attention. For the time being it is enough to concentrate attention on that one tax levy and seizure clause. It is not a 'mere legal formality.' It means exactly what it says."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday at 11 o'clock the service will be in charge of Rev. W. E. Webb.

In the evening Clive M. Saiz will speak on a theme of general interest. The Senior Endeavor Society will have a lively meeting with the delegates from the summer conference.

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The girls who have been attending the Presbyterian Young People's Summer Conference at San Anselmo returned yesterday. All report a fine conference. Those attending were: Zita Thomas, Myra Kurty, Jennie Jacobsen, Virginia Allen and Helen Aabel.

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Every detail was carefully arranged to give the new engine a chance to break all previous records. Minot selected an engineer named Pemberton to drive the locomotive. Pemberton was reluctant at first, but when Minot threatened to take the throttle himself, he agreed to try. Minot rode with him.

Men were sent over the road to spike down all switches and see that everything was in perfect order. It was before telegraphy had been introduced and to run a mile a minute required careful preparation.

A large crowd gathered at the station and amid cheers and waving of hats, the Antelope began its historic run. Half way to Lawrence, Minot looked at his watch. Fourteen minutes had elapsed. He urged Pemberton to get more speed and Pemberton pulled the throttle wide open. The engine responded and when the train was brought to a stop at the station, Minot's watch showed just 26 minutes had elapsed since the start.—Railway Life.

English Art Dealers Have Own Tribunal

One of the strangest tribunals in England sits at regular intervals in an upper room at the corner of King street and St. James' street, west, in the center of the great art world of London.

It is the antique dealers' "High Court of Justice," to which any of the 500 members of the British Antique Dealers' association has the right to appeal. Its judges, who sometimes number as many as 20, include some of the world's greatest experts on precious stones, old china, tapestries, pictures and antique furniture.

Disputes arising out of the sale of an antique of more than ordinary importance are often referred to the court for arbitration, and if they think fit, the judges have the right to call in independent art experts.

It is to protect the interests of antique dealers and safeguard the honor of their industry that this tribunal has been established.

Foolhardy Feat

For five shillings (\$1.25) an English steeplejack performed a feat so dangerous that a film star would probably ask a small fortune for doing the same thing.

As a result of an argument with another steeplejack over the merits of their respective bicycles, this man had his machine hauled to the top of a 90-foot chimney. With smoke belching from the chimney, the steeplejack calmly mounted his bicycle and balanced himself on the narrow ledge for two minutes. The other steeplejack then mounted the chimney and paid over the five shillings which had been won by the performance of this daring feat.

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Great Value Even in Moments of Leisure

Farm women have recognized that well-earned and well-used leisure is the oil which makes the necessary duties of life be performed happily. Carl Sandburg has said: "Life is a combination of biscuits and hyacinths," and the farm woman is learning to realize the value of the hyacinths as she has long since realized the value of the biscuits, a writer in the Country Gentleman asserts. She is changing her objective from shining pots and pans to shining joyous faces, and she and her family alike are profiting by the change in accent.

Not all farm women are realizing the value of leisure, and but few farm women as yet have leisure in needed measure; nor are all who have won it using it effectively. But a good beginning has been made and the future is full of hope.

These times of leisure are literally moments only for some women. I know one mother of five young children who can't find 15-minute periods for recreating mind and soul. She says she can find leisure only for a moment here and there. To be sure, she looks ahead to the time when she can lessen the personal service to the little folks, but now practically every moment demands her attention, and so her leisure, like a rosary, is counted bead upon bead.

Wind's Great Effect on Personal Comfort

Personal comfort at any time of the year depends to an astonishing degree on wind; that is on the motion of the air. An interesting experiment, described by a writer in the American Magazine, illustrates the point.

To find out the different effects of still air and of air in motion, a man was shut up in a telephone booth. The booth contained an electric fan and it also had tubes through which fresh air could be supplied. The man had a lighted cigarette.

With the electric fan going, and with no fresh air coming in through the tubes, the man was comfortable, even after his cigarette had gone out because of lack of oxygen to burn. But when he was shut up in the booth without the fan being turned on, he was soon in great discomfort, even though he was being supplied with fresh air through the tubes.

"Divine" High Priest

The Grand Lama is the supreme high priest of the Lamaistic hierarchy, and is regarded as a divine being. Lamaism is the name of the religion prevailing in Mongolia and Tibet and to some extent in China; its followers are numbered in the millions. Lamaism is a form of Buddhism, corrupted by Sivalism, and by Shamanism or spirit worship. It was introduced into Tibet by the Chinese about the middle of the Seventh century, A. D., and shortly thereafter the holy city of Lhasa became a goal for pious pilgrims and the seat of the Grand Lama. The Grand Lama is also called the Dalai Lama, i. e., the ocean-priest, or priest as wide as the ocean.—Exchange.

What She Was After

Mrs. Skiffington, during the course of an afternoon call on Mrs. Biffington, sought the latter's advice regarding a proposed divorce action.

"Well," said Mrs. Biffington, on the conclusion of her friend's lengthy recital of her woes, "you have had your marital troubles just like the rest of us; but I am not at all sure that you would be justified in taking this step. You have no other grounds for seeking a divorce, have you?"

Mrs. Skiffington hesitated a moment, and then added: "To tell the truth, in addition to what I have just said, I have a brother who is a lawyer, and I am very anxious to give him something to do."

Retiring Into Oneself

Men seek retreats, houses in the country, seashores, and mountains; and thou, too, are wont to desire such things very much. But this is altogether a mark of the most common sort of men; for it is in thy power whenever thou shalt choose, to retire into thyself. For nowhere either with more quiet or more freedom from trouble does a man retire than into his own soul, particularly when he has within him such thoughts that by looking into them he is immediately in perfect tranquility.—Marcus Aurelius.

Cane and Beet Sugar

When highly refined no one can distinguish between cane and beet sugar, as they are one and the same thing. Between the crude or raw beet and cane sugars there is a great difference, the latter being edible, while the former is not, as it possesses a very disagreeable odor and taste. Cane sugar molasses is good for culinary purposes; beet sugar molasses is not. Cane juice contains glucose, but beet juice does not, though the latter contains raffinose and the former does not.

"Curiosity Killed the Cat"

Just how this saying got started is unknown. There was an old proverb that a cat has nine lives, yet care would wear them out. Another version of the proverb is that though she had nine lives care killed the cat. Probably "curiosity killed the cat" is merely a corruption of the former saying. Its popularity seems to rest on the alliteration of the three hard "c" sounds, rather than on the sense of the expression.—Exchange.

Franklin Would Have Put Maxims on Coins

The first third of the Nineteenth century was the heyday of Staffordshire ware decorated with pictures. And not the least interesting of this china was the series picturing maxims, proverbs and morals.

Of this didactic china many pieces carried reproductions of "Poor Richard's" sayings, which our great American, Benjamin Franklin, industriously circulated through his Poor Richard's Almanack for 25 years.

The Poor Richard maxims were very near to Franklin's heart, and he let no chance slip to get them into greater circulation. One of his projects—which, however, was not carried out—was to imprint on one side of the copper coins of the new American republic some proverbs of Solomon and other sayings encouraging thrift.

"Diligence is the mother of good luck," and "Plow deep while sluggards sleep" were among those he suggested. His practical and benevolent mind pictured how many a family would read and ponder his precepts as they gathered round the hearth.—The Antiquarian.

"Pony Express" Hailed as Fast Mail Service

The first trip of the "pony express," from St. Joseph to Sacramento, carried about 85 pieces of mail, according to Glenn D. Bradley's "The Story of the Pony Express." This run began in the early evening of April 3, 1860, and required 9 days and 23 hours. At the same time an east-bound express was also on the way with about 70 pieces.

"The first pony express" from St. Joseph," writes Bradley, "brought a message of congratulation from President Buchanan to Governor Downey of California, which was first telegraphed to the Missouri river town. It also brought one or two official government communications, some New York, Chicago and St. Louis newspapers, a few bank drafts, and some business letters addressed to banks and commercial houses in San Francisco."

Gems From California

In one mine near Ramona, Calif., the tourmaline crystals are often gigantic, some being five inches in diameter, fifteen pounds or so in weight and dark green to opaque, whilst other smaller ones are a deep rich green and classed as gems. The famous Pala Chief mine near Pala produces not only the commercially valuable lepidolite (lithia mica) from which comes our lithia tablets, but also kunzite and gem tourmalines of red, blue and green—as well as Spodumene, both white and lavender—truly one of the most remarkable mines on our entire globe.—Los Angeles Times.

Complete Address

S. Gruskin, New London, Conn., hardware merchant, recently received a letter addressed as follows:

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Honesty Still Best Policy

Why are nice women nice? Because of the knowledge that being nice pays, and is easier than being tough.

The greatest sermon ever written, or ever will be written, is that honesty is the best policy. No one man wrote this sermon; all men lived, proved it. Those who violate the sermon know better; they are actuated by meanness, recklessness. Many of them are put in jail; a few hanged; all punished in one way or another.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

LAS LOMITAS SCHOOL WILL OPEN ON MONDAY, AUG 23

It is announced that the Las Lomitas school will open for the fall semester on Monday, August 23d. Preparations have been made for a large enrollment and all parents are urged to see that children of school age report at the school on the opening date.

Mixed doubles will be played at the Menlo Park Country Club on Sunday afternoon and a large number of San Francisco people will be in attendance on this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Marison are expected in Menlo this week after a visit with Miss Cecily Casserly at Montecito and with friends in Los Angeles.

Dr. J. Ross Hardy has opened a dental office in the Artino Building on the Highway. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Examination free.

The Menlo Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West installed their officers for the coming term last night. District Deputy Dora Wilson acted as installing officer.

A smoker and boxing exhibition was held at the Menlo Club on Santa Cruz avenue last Monday evening. A good time was enjoyed by those present and the bouts were voted to be of the highest order.

Mrs. James Flood and her daughter and son, Miss Mary Emma Flood and James Flood, will leave this fall for the European trip which they had planned but which was delayed by the illness of young Flood. They have spent the summer at their home, "Linden Towers", here.

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10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
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7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

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News of Interest to All

More than \$150,000 is to be spent by the A. D. Porter estate heirs in modernizing the Byrns hotel building at Woodland.

Commodore P. Murray, 73, prominent resident of Three Rivers, and the first white child born in Tulare county, died recently.

A 2,000 pound sunfish caught in Catalina waters by Zane Grey, the novelist, has been mounted for scientific purposes.

Premiums totalling \$14,000 will be awarded to winning exhibitors in the various departments of the Stanislaus County Fair at Modesto, September 13 to 18.

A high pressure water system to combat with the fire menace, with a steam pumping engine on the banks of the Russian river, is being installed near Guerneville.

Playground equipment for the new Exeter kiddies' park, the first in the city, has been donated by the Exeter American Legion Post working with the Women's auxiliary.

John H. Espey, one of the earliest settlers in northwestern California, is dead at the age of 87. He had resided in Sonoma county for more than 60 years. His parents came across the plains in 1849.

The California State Highway Commission has filed suit to condemn land owners by Clark Burnham between Truckee and Tahoe City, claimed to be necessary for the state highway leading into Lake Tahoe from the Victory highway.

Several buildings belonging to a mining company near Mariposa were destroyed recently by a range fire which swept within a few miles of Coulterville before being placed under control by the concerted efforts of residents of the town.

The Hanford Board of Trade at Hanford, has taken up the movement for having all fruit shipped from local packing plants carry the label, Grown in Kings County, and has sent a letter making a request that all shippers see that such labels are used.

The largest local conference of Seventh Day Adventists in the world will be held at Glendale, August 26 to September 5, inclusive, according to an announcement made by President O. O. Bernstein. Erection of a pavilion to seat 6,500 delegates and the pitching of 625 tents will be started immediately.

The "vanishing American" isn't vanishing at all, in California at least, it was disclosed by L. E. Ross, chief of state bureau of vital statistics. Due to excess of births over deaths, Ross declared that Indian population of the state is increasing at rate of 100 redmen per year. California Indians now number 17,870, Ross said.

One hundred and forty-four purchased ewes and rams were cremated, and other property of the total value of \$20,000 was destroyed in a fire which swept the Cadanasso tract north of Esposito, Yolo county, eighteen miles from Woodland. The fire started from a harvester working on a small tract of grain which was also destroyed.

The June bride crop for 1926 totaled 6,750, breaking all previous California records for the month of romances, it has been revealed by L. E. Ross, director of the state bureau of vital statistics. The marriage total last month broke Ross' preliminary estimate of Dan Cupid's activities by 260 and shattered the existing record, which was 6,412 weddings in June, 1925.

If poor handwriting is a sign of genius, as the popular saying has it, California is just now nurturing a generation of remarkable boys and girls. A. C. Olney, state commissioner of secondary schools, announced that examination of 500 pupils in representative high schools produced an average of only 53.2 per cent in penmanship. The test requirement was 62 per cent.

Twelve tomatoes that fill a cantaloupe crate and weigh fifteen pounds is a record that has been achieved by F. D. Brown of Bakersfield. They are without flaws or blemishes, having at no time suffered from the blight that has affected other tomatoes of the country. They were grown in a small plot in his backyard where he daily gathers three gallon bucketfuls from eight or ten plants. The seeds, are of a special variety.

C. E. Berry, Santa Barbara county horticultural inspector, is concealing the bitter taste of squirrel poison strychnine with soda, and adds starch, syrup and glycerine. It is reported that the ground squirrels have grown fat and that whenever they detect the characteristic flavor of the poison they fill up on green stuff instead of seeking water. Drinking water after eating strychnine is fatal, but with the vegetable feed afterward, the rodents are said to survive.

Marking the opening of a new era in Yosemite motoring, the Merced-El Portal link of the park highway was dedicated at Clark's mill, Mariposa county, Saturday, July 31. In the presence of high state and automobile officials, the road, built by the efforts largely of 400 San Quentin and Folsom convicts was opened for use.

Plans are on way for a two-story and basement fireproof club building for Alameda County American Legion. It is to be erected in Adams Park, between Grand avenue and Harrison street, Oakland, and will cost approximately \$200,000.

The July term federal grand jury was impaneled in San Francisco on the twenty-sixth of the month and held its first session the same day. The jury was called a week early to hear important evidence presented by Assistant United States Attorney General Mabel Walker Willebrandt. During her present visit to the coast Mrs. Willebrandt has held a series of conferences with United States District Attorney George J. Hatfield on prohibition enforcement. According to Mrs. Willebrandt the government's law enforcement personnel will be strengthened by weeding out those unfitted by previous training for law enforcement work; and when men fitted by character and given adequate previous training are secured the Volstead Act can and will be successfully enforced.

Nearly seven thousand persons were killed or injured by automobiles in this state during the first six months of 1926. This was revealed in a report issued by the State Division of Motor Vehicles, showing 699 killed and 6,282 injured during the half year period. Of the injured, 1,968 were classified as "seriously injured or crippled." More than fifty of the dead were victims of hit-and-run drivers. The metropolitan districts, as usual, had the heaviest percentage of accidents. Los Angeles and San Francisco alone reported 159 deaths.

Discovery of the fossil remains of what is said to be a pre-historic mammal approximately 25 feet long has been made on a ranch near Elk Grove, south of Sacramento, according to a statement by C. E. Swisher owner of the property. The find was made following an explosion of dynamite 15 feet below the surface of the earth while Swisher was digging a pit for installation of an irrigation pump. The blast unearthed a fossil segment 6 feet 4 inches long and said to have carried the toes of an ancient monster.

Charles King, Hanford, Kings county, builder of Tulare Lake Railway and one of the best informed men in Kings county on the resources of the Tulare Lake Basin, is engaged in arranging the transportation of this season's crops, and says that in his opinion the total yield of grain in the lake bottom lands this year will approximate 500,000 sacks, of which all but about 40,000 will have been grown on lands under well irrigation. Of the total crop about 80 per cent will be wheat.

A. B. B. Deming, proprietor of an abstract company with offices in the Placer county court house claims the distinction of walking a distance equal to the circumference of the earth during trips to and from his office during the past 32 years. Deming, who lives on Aeolia Heights, estimates that he has walked the round trip an average of 400 times each year, which would make a total of 25,600 miles in the 32 years.

Now comes a book asking California school children to puzzle over the high cost of good radio sets, the speeds of various automobiles and how far the mighty Babe Ruth can hit a baseball. Holding that modern youngsters of school age are tired of working arithmetic problems dealing with the dull doings of A and B and the distance between Y and Z, textbook publishers have asked the State Board of Education to approve questions of a snappier nature.

The trustees of the Galt Joint Union High School have called for a bond election for the purpose of issuing and selling bonds to the amount of \$100,000, to be used in reconstruction of the high school, which was completely destroyed by fire two years ago. The election for the sale of bonds has been voted upon several times, but each time has failed to carry.

Plans and specifications for the new mammoth Pacific Fruit Express plant which is to be built at Antelope, about four miles south of Roseville, are now being prepared by company engineers. A contract for \$1,500,000 for steel used in the new plant was recently let to a San Francisco firm. The new plant will number about twenty-five buildings, some of which will be 600 feet in length.

More peaches will be harvested in the Yucaipa Valley this year than ever before, according to reports coming in from the various orchards. All peaches have borne well this year, the early peaches exceptionally well and now the J. H. Hales are doing their bit to swell the total. The late peaches also give promise of a large yield.

Congressman Clarence F. Lea will open the Western Sonoma-Marine Cattle Show at Valley Ford August 13. Lea will talk on legislative matters affecting farmers and will also show the part cattle have played in the development of this part of the state. The show will be continued for three days.

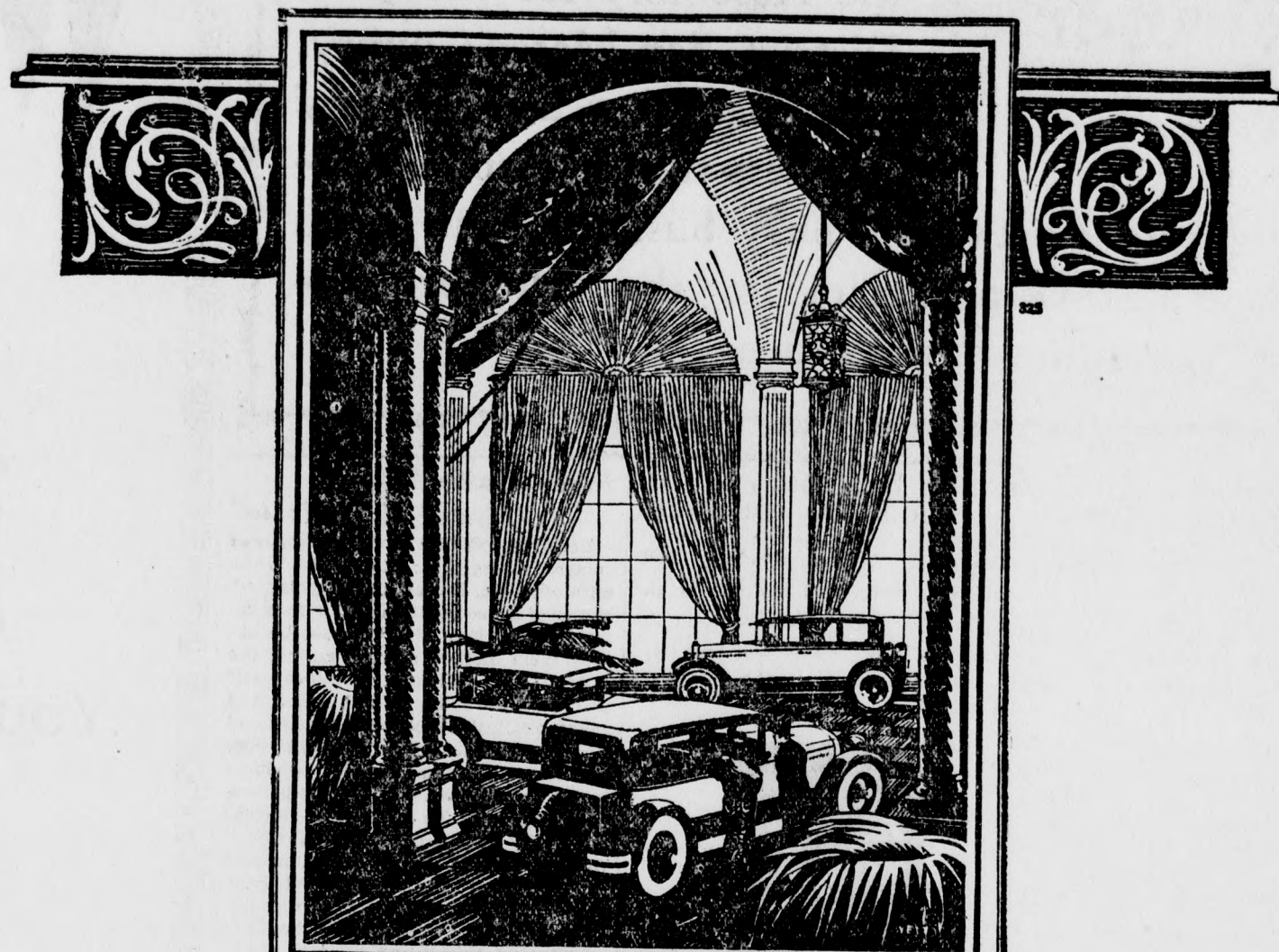
Yuba county made a net gain of \$237,625 in the assessment rolls for 1926 over 1925 it was shown in the annual report filed by County Assessor Tom E. Bavan. The total roll of the county shows \$16,608,745. The gain in personal property assessments over 1925 is \$27,715.

Warning sportsmen of the state that overfishing is exterminating steelhead trout in the streams of California, Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor emeritus of Stanford University, delivered a plea for conservation of the state's resources of wild life at a public meeting of the Monterey county chapter of the Isaac Walton League of America last week.

A double execution at San Quentin penitentiary on October 8 has been announced by Warden Frank J. Smith. Two men, both convicted of murder in Los Angeles county, are to satisfy the law by hanging.

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Old English Township Given Dignity of City

Salford, the great manufacturing township of Lancashire, England, which has benefited by the creation of the Manchester ship canal, is at last to be elevated to the dignity of a city, thus bringing it into line with its neighbor, Manchester. The two cities are divided only by the narrow and greasy waters of the River Irwell, crossed by many bridges. Victoria railway station, the most important of Manchester, really stands in Salford.

When Salford became one of the ancient hundreds (with power to administer laws, as in the case of manorial rights), Manchester was so poor, having been devastated by Danish invaders, that its territory was included in the jurisdiction of Salford. On the other hand, Manchester had ecclesiastical buildings when Salford had none, and not until 1634 did Salford own a chapel. Now it possesses a cathedral, in company with Manchester.

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A Way Out

"Well, how did you and Johnny get along?" Robert, nine years old, was asked after he came in from playing ball with a small friend of his.

"Not so well," Robert answered. "He threw a rock at me, and hit me, so I hit him back. Then he told a big boy, and he came out and started fighting."

"I suppose you ran. Why didn't you fight back?"

"Oh, well, I had to come home anyway," said Robert, settling the matter.

Moon Lopsided

Prof. E. W. Brown, of Yale university has, after many calculations, come to the conclusion that the moon is lopsided with quite a pronounced bulge at the top. He explains the irregularity by saying that the heavier materials of its substance are what appear to the eye at the bottom and that a bulging of the upper surface is required if the moon is to balance itself in space.

If people would neither borrow nor lend there would be more lifelong friendships.

A Perennial One

"Pa, what's a valedictorian?"
"A valedictorian, my son, is the one who speaks last."
"Then ma is a valedictorian, isn't she, pa?"

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Menlo Park Chamber of Commerce—
Board of Directors meets every Monday evening, Laurel Court.
J. H. Sullivan, President.
Miss Emma Noel, Secretary.

Menlo Park Troop No. 107, Boy Scouts of America—
Meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 in Kuck's Hotel.
L. E. Harris, Scoutmaster.
P. N. Harris, Assistant Scoutmaster.

Menlo Park Study Club—
Meets in Presbyterian church, first Monday of each month.
Mrs. Jay T. Cooper, President.
Mrs. L. E. Harris, Secretary.

Girl Scouts—
Meets every Friday afternoon in Kuck's Hotel.
Miss Meta Kugeler, Captain.
Miss Norma Judd, Lieutenant.

Native Sons of the Golden West—
Meets in Duff & Doyle Hall every Thursday night.
Barney Larrecou, President.
Roland Midgley, Secretary.

Menlo Parlor No. 211, Native Daughters of the Golden West—
Meets second and fourth Mondays in Duff and Doyle Hall.
President, Grace Loverich.
Secretary, Frances E. Maloney.
Menlo Park Horticultural Society—
Meets in Trinity Parish House first Friday of each month.
J. Bostock, President.
J. Daly, Secretary.

WALTON T. MALONEY OUT FOR CONSTABLE

Walton T. Maloney, a young Redwood City man, has his hat in the ring for the office of constable at the coming election and is working hard for the nomination at the primaries this month.



Maloney has lived in Redwood City all of his life and is well known in this district. He is a butcher by trade.

Mr. Maloney stated to a representative of the Recorder this week, that he expected to move to Menlo Park in the near future to make his home. He solicits the votes of his many friends and if elected will give the Third Township a business like administration.

Mrs. Warren Spiker gave a luncheon Tuesday at her home here.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH Oak Grove between Railroad and Laurel Avenue

Early Celebration, 8:00 a. m.
The Church School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m.
Trinity Men's Club meets Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the Parish House.
Trinity Women's Guild meets Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
A cordial welcome to all at these services.
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River Traffic Before Days of "Iron Horse"

Before the Civil war, flatboating was common along the Ohio river. When autumn came, it was an every-day occurrence to see boats loaded with produce passing by. There would be apples from Letart and Rome on the upper Ohio; cabbage, potatoes, salt and coal, all going to the cotton and sugar plantations below Memphis and Red river. Prior to the Civil war, coal was boated the same as other products to the lower river. After that period, coal began to be carried in barges drawn by towboats. Twenty, thirty, forty and fifty years ago, immense tows of coal were brought out from Pittsburgh whenever the Ohio was sufficiently high. Those were the days of "Second Pool," and "Fourth Pool" Yohogany coal, and millions of bushels were brought down the river by these powerful towboats.

After the war, the flatboating interests gradually gave way to the railway. More and more the railways opened up the country until flatboating became a losing business and was finally abandoned. The country west of the Mississippi became settled. The produce raised there was delivered to the railway by the Southern markets more quickly and more cheaply than it could be delivered by the boatmen. The lower Mississippi, which was once known as a paradise both for the steamboat man and the flatboat man, has almost lost its reputation of old days. The days of the big cotton and passenger steamboats, and of the broadhorn and its jolly crew have gone forever, as have the red man and the buffalo.—Indianapolis Star.

St. John's Day Rites Observed in Mexico

June 24 is universal bath day in Mexico. Throughout the republic men, women and children, by going down to the streams or swimming pools and bathing, commemorate the day on which St. John the Baptist baptized Jesus Christ. This custom of observing "St.

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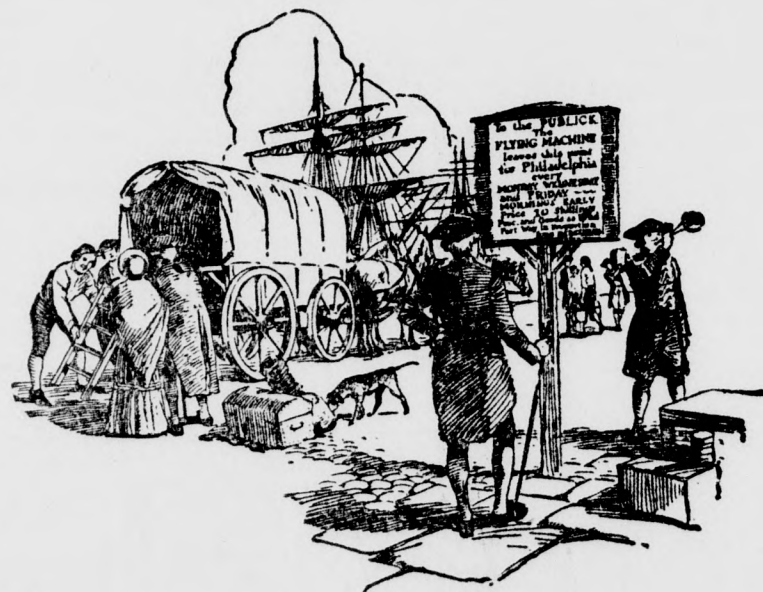
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limitations of time and distance finally put electricity to work, and it became his swiftest messenger bearer.

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John's day" was originated by the Spanish in the sixteenth century, when all recent converts among the natives were taken to a stream of running water and baptized. The custom is believed to be peculiar in Mexico.

As the tradition began to lose its hold on the people, following the gaining of independence, the ceremony began to take on a more festive aspect and lost somewhat of its religious significance. In the nineteenth century, therefore, the day began to be celebrated by aquatic fiestas, held in streams where available or in pools in the larger cities.

Inspiration From Nuts

Man's early inclination toward art frequently found expression through examination of various forms of nuts, and his drinking vessels were fashioned in imitation of the halved coconut or some other hard shell protecting the kernel. In India ancient dippers were made of nutshells, and specimens of antiquity are now on exhibition at the Indian museum, South Kensington, London. King Henry VI possessed a silver vessel made like a nut in 1428. Chinese carvers still work artistic devices on nutshells. In Tibet Buddhist priests often possess rosaries comprising more than 100 beads all made from carved nuts.

Flowers

I have often wondered at the custom of sending flowers when somebody has died. It is a beautiful custom of course, and the blossoms help to relieve the sadness of the occasion but it seems to me that similar acts of kindness during the dead person's life would have been even more helpful.

Every day you have an opportunity to be kind and helpful to somebody. We all have these opportunities. And if we take advantage of them and help people while they are still alive we will have less cause for regret when it is time for them to die.—Boston Transcript.

Mercury Destroys Fungus

Mercury, which in one form or another is a specific for various human ills, is the last word in fungicides for nursery stock. Treatment with organic compounds of mercury during the operation of grafting apple nursery trees has been found by Department of Agriculture experts to reduce materially subsequent infection of the stock with crown gall. Formaldehyde has been used in the past for this purpose, but the more recently developed mercury compounds have proved much more efficacious in checking the spread of the fungus growth.

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